

PERSECUTED AND INSULTED

St. Bernard Coal Company Officials Arrested at Tradewater Mines.

FOLLOWED BY A HOWLING MOB

In Sturgis—Their Lives Were Threatened.

Two Earlington gentlemen, Mr. B. W. Robinson, manager, and Mr. Frank B. Arnold, bookkeeper of the St. Bernard Coal Company, went to Sturgis in Union county, Monday, to purchase an engine for the St. Bernard mines.

In company with President Frankel, of the Tradewater Company, they went to the mines to inspect the engine. While examining it they were approached by a crowd of union miners, headed by an officer, who had warrants for both men and arrested and searched them. On the person of Manager Robinson a revolver was found, Mr. Arnold having nothing more dangerous than an ordinary pocket knife.

It is needless to say that Messrs. Arnold and Robinson were dumfounded and astonished at the action of the officer. President Frankel saw this was a ruse of the union miners and that they were in an ugly mood, and did all he could to quiet them.

Messrs. Robinson and Arnold told the officer they could give bond, and were carried before a magistrate, who fixed the bond at \$200, which they readily gave, with President Frankel and William Vanosen, both of the Tradewater Company, as security. After they were released, however, they were followed around the town by a howling, jeering mob and grossly insulted and threatened.

Neither of the two gentlemen knew what charge the warrant embodied, as it simply read "misdomestator."

The mob of blood-thirsty hoodlums followed them to the train and again offered violence and threatened them as the train pulled out. Matters were serious several times during their short stay, and a word or blow would have caused trouble.

That this disgraceful state of affairs is allowed to exist in an enlightened community is an eternal disgrace to Union county. That two men, who we all know to be quiet, peaceable, unassuming gentlemen can't go in an adjoining county on a three hours business trip, without being grossly insulted and their lives jeopardized, is a piece of gross injustice and shows a mean spirit of revenge.

If the U. M. W. continue to flourish in Union county, it will soon be necessary for the citizens of Hopkins and other counties to secure a passport from the midnight assassins before crossing the county line. We wish to impress on the minds of that respectable mob, who uselessly insulted our friends, that every good citizen of Hopkins county condemns the outrage, and the citizens of Earlington are exceedingly bitter in their denunciations of the men who mistreated two of her best citizens.

Striking to Monopolize Labor.

(From the New York Evening Post.) Whatever doubts there may have been about the real issue in the steel strike, they are all swept

away by President Shaffer's strike order, which the Evening Post was able to announce last evening in advance of the contemporaries. The aim of the Amalgamated Association is now perfectly clear. It would monopolize the labor of the iron and steel industry of this country. On the one hand, it would turn to non-union workers, and say to them, "You shall have no employment without an Amalgamated card." On the other, it would face the employers and say to them, "You shall hire no man not approved by us." Say what you will of the Steel Corporation—call it a threatening combination and a hateful monopoly; it is not so dangerous as this one which the steel-workers' union is trying to make strong and tyrannous.

"We don't want to quarrel with you, but we know how to manage the mills better than the masters do, and we mean to do it." So said the English labor-leader to Mr. J. M. Maclean, late member of Parliament for Oldham and Cardiff. It was a labor constituency, and he eventually lost his seat for refusing to vote in the Commons as the trades unions dictated. Secretly congratulated by a Radical for his courage, Mr. Maclean said that he had only ventured to maintain in the Commons that even property still had some rights in Great Britain. "Ah," rejoined the Radical, "that is a thing you may think, but you mustn't say it in these days." In these two quotations lies the kernel of the whole controversy between the Steel Corporation and the Amalgamated Association. The men mean to take the management of the mills out of the hands of the owners. That is what Mr. Shaffer has in mind when he declares that the strike is due to the refusal to "recognize as union men those who are not striving for the right to organize." If they are not yet organized, they cannot be union men—but let that pass. The position of the directors of the Steel Corporation is that they must protect a vast capital, and that they might as well shut up their mills and let their securities become available as to place their property at the mercy of either labor-leaders or politicians.

There has been much public wonder over the bringing on of this gigantic struggle when the points of difference appeared so trivial. On its face, the dispute was simply whether three or four mills, out of scores, should be unionized or not. Why should a great labor union be ready to run such frightful risks for so slight a gain? Why, on the other hand, should a huge corporation, with immensely extended and highly vulnerable interests, make a stand on so minor a matter? You might as well ask why a General should bring on a bloody battle and imperil his whole army, merely to hold an insignificant hill. If the hill is the key to the position, if it is a Little Round Top or an Arapil Grande, and its occupation by the enemy would mean destruction to Meade or Wellington, he is justified in fighting for its possession with his last man and gun. The public may have been mystified but the Amalgamated officials have not been. They knew what they were working for. And the officers of the Steel Corporation were shrewd enough to perceive it. To unionize a few more mills meant a determination ultimately to unionize all mills; and if there was to be a fight at all against the encroaching tyranny over free la-

bor and free capital, it had better be made at once, before the Malakoff of the defenses had been carried or weakly surrendered.

One thing should be perfectly understood. It was the Amalgamated Association that took the aggressive. It is easy to accuse Messrs. Morgan and Schwab of being "labor crushers" and union haters, but no evidence to support that charge appears in the record. The Steel Corporation made distinct concessions. It went further than some of its own directors thought wise or safe. Remember, it was not a question of continuing last year's status as regards union and non-union mills. A change was demanded, and it was not by the Corporation, but by the Association. There was no proposal to transfer a mill from the union to the non-union list. The Association could allege no such aggressive action against it. Indeed, it would be to suppose Mr. Morgan and his associates mad or drunk if they could be thought capable, in the present situation of the Steel Corporation, of needlessly provoking a quarrel with the labor union. It was by the other side that the arrogant demands were made. One of them was for the unionizing of the W. Dewees Wood mill at McKeesport. There the Amalgamated Association had made itself so intolerable to the proprietors that they had fought themselves clear of it, and their mill was publicly recognized, at the last signing of the scale, as non-union. But Shaffer insisted that it now be ranked as union again, and this without any evidence, that the employees wished to join the union. What the Amalgamated officials desire is power to coerce them and all other steel-workers, and gradually to work into a position where they will have a complete monopoly of the labor of one of the greatest and most vital industries of the country.

When such a sharp challenge is put forth, men who believe in personal liberty, in freedom both for laborer and employer, in the maintenance of a government under which there shall still be preserved individual initiative and free competition of muscle and talent, cannot hesitate where to take their stand. It is now useless to discuss side issues and minor matters. Perhaps this attitude of the labor union should have been more clearly foreseen by the Steel Corporation. Perhaps sufficient allowance was not made for the natural effect of a billion dollar company on the imagination and ambitions of labor-leaders. Trust promoters have talked complacently about "inevitable" combinations. Doubtless strikes are just as inevitable. We cannot say that the things which we like are ordained of God, and the things that disturb us are the work of Satan. Perhaps also, the steel incorporators should have reflected more maturely on the certainty that, while they were thinking of the supremacy of America in the manufacture of steel, the labor unions would be thinking only of their own supremacy. But all that is now overpast. We are confronted with a demand which stands free labor to the heart and holds a dagger to the throat of property. An insolent union, aiming at a labor monopoly, rises up boldly in the face of capital and says, "It is one or the other of us now." To that there can be but one answer; and the struggle which is to ensue can have but one ending, unless the right of every man to the control of his labor and his property is to be destroyed here and now.

HORRIBLE TRAGEDY

Ida Humphrey, a Seven-Year-Old Child, is Shot and Instantly Killed at Madisonville.

Dan Harris, the Murderer, Succeeded in Making His Escape but was Caught and put in Jail.

Another outrage was perpetrated on the people of Madisonville Saturday evening about dark. Little Ida Humphrey, the seven-year-old daughter of Alonzo Humphrey, while playing on the roadside near her father's house, one mile north of Madisonville, was shot and killed by Dan Harris, a disreputable scoundrel, who with two more companions, was going home in an intoxicated condition from the fair. Harris with his companions, Watt Madison, and Henry Carneal, were riding along the road and were in fifty yards of where several children were playing when Harris drew his revolver, exclaiming, "Watch me scatter those children," recklessly fired, two shot some of them taking effect in the left side of the little girl who fell to the ground, screaming in agony, and expired in a few minutes. The cries of the dying child must have caused the drunken brute to realize the hideousness of his crime and the horror of the situation, and putting spurs to his horse he hurried away followed by his companions who made no effort whatever to assist the little one whose life blood was fast ebbing away.

The parents and friends of the child hurried to the spot only to find the child a corpse. The authorities were at once notified of the crime and after some difficulty the names of the party were learned. The three men went to their homes and were arrested during the night and brought to Madisonville Sunday morning. Harris was in bed asleep and at first disclaimed all knowledge of the sad affair. Later he admitted that he thought he had shot a dog.

Madison and Carneal disclaim any connection with the affair and vehemently protest they had no pistols and knew nothing of what Harris was doing as he was riding some distance in advance of them. They were released on bail while Harris was locked up to await the result of a preliminary trial.

When news of the tragedy spread over the community public indignation ran high and excitement was at fever heat. A lynch was threatened and feared, but while the feeling was high the law was allowed to take its course. Harris is a young man apparently twenty years old and does not seem to be blessed with any surplus amount of brain power. In fact he seemed entirely indifferent to the magnitude of his crime.

The examining trial was to be held before Judge Hall Monday but the prisoner waived trial and his bond was fixed at \$200, he was remanded to jail. He but failing to give this he passed through here Monday evening in charge of an officer who was taking him to Hopkinsville for safe keeping.

Thus another crime is added to the long list directly chargeable to the saloons, and another innocent young life is snuffed out without a moment's warning. Truly, the liquor traffic paves the streets of that city with the hearts of her citizens and comments them with their tears.

TRIENNIAL CONCLAVE

Of the Knights Templar to be Held at Louisville August 27-30.

Will be the Biggest Affair in the History of the State—Twenty-Seven Beautiful Sponsors.

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 14.—The eyes of the public are centered on this city as the meeting place of the Knights Templar Triennial Conclave, August 27-30. Uniformed sir knights to the number of 25,000 are expected from every section of the Union. The official program has been announced and a week full of pleasure is assured the city's guests. Twenty thousand Templars and 100 bands of music are expected to appear in the parade on Tuesday morning, August 27. The line of march lies through about four miles of the finest streets in the city.

Wednesday will be devoted to the competitive drills. Local jewelers now have on display the prize trophies—five in number, of an aggregate value of \$7,600. A number of society belles from



Miss Martha Arnold, Sponsor for Madisonville Commandery.

various cities of Kentucky have been named as brides of honor for the conclave hall at the Horse Show Building on Thursday night. Excursion rates from all Tennessee, Indiana and Kentucky points will bring Templars and their friends to the city in large numbers. The Grand Commandery of Kentucky Templars will have headquarters in the Custom House, where the State's reputation for hospitality will be well maintained.

Hundreds of visitors to the Conclave will make side trips to points of interest in Kentucky, Tennessee and Indiana during the week of their pilgrimage to Louisville. No former celebration in the history of the South has attracted so many visitors from all sections of the country as will be brought by this event.

One of the prettiest features of Triennial Conclave week in Louisville will be the sponsors representing the several Kentucky commanderies. There are twenty-seven of these young ladies, selected from the most beautiful girls in the respective sections. One will act for the State-at-Large, another for the Grand Commandery, while the following Kentucky towns are represented in the list: Lexington, Versailles, Frankfort, Mt. Sterling, Hopkinsville, Covington, Georgetown, Vanceburg, Paducah, Louisville, Newport, Henderson, Owensboro, Cincinnati, Danville, Richmond, Flemingsburg, Sturgis, Bowling Green, Lebanon, Russellville, Paris, Madisonville, Ashland, Earlinton.

Louisville people have been working three years to arrange a fitting welcome and entertainment of four days for the White Plumed Army of America, which will march on the Falls City, the last week of this month. One hundred thousand dollars will be

spent in providing a program for the visitors, who are expected to number at least 150,000—Knights Templar and all.

The Transportation Committee for the Triennial Conclave, to be held in Louisville August 27 to 30, has secured concessions from all the railroads entering the city. A rate of one fare for the round trip will go into effect, and even a lower price than this will probably be given people living within a radius of 200 miles of Louisville.

Several Knight Templar commanderies have included in their itinerary which embraces a pilgrimage to Louisville a number of trips into Kentucky, Tennessee and Indiana. The knights are good spenders—they leave about \$1,500,000 behind them during every Triennial—and both the Hoosier and Blue Grass States will profit by the holding of the Conclave in Louisville.

Some Girls.

- A disagreeable girl—Annie Mosity.
- A sweet girl—Carrie Mel.
- A pleasant girl—Jenny Rosity.
- A smooth girl—Amelia Ration.
- A seely girl—Cora Ander.
- A clear case of a girl—E. Lucy Date.
- A geometrical girl—Polly Gon.
- Not orthodox—Hetty Rodoxy.
- A fine girl—Ella Gant.
- A flower girl—Rhoda Dendron.
- A musical girl—Sarah Nade.
- A profound girl—Metta Phisic.
- A star girl—Meta Oric.
- A clinging girl—Jessie Mine.
- A nervous girl—Carrie Shenic.
- A lively girl—Annie Nation.
- An uncertain girl—Eva Nescent.
- A sad girl—Ella G.
- A big girl—Ellie Phant.
- A warlike girl—Millie Tary.
- A chemical girl—An Eliza.

KENTUCKIANS IN UTAH.

Citizens of the Great Salt Lake Welcome Them With Open Arms.

The Salt Lake Herald has the following in its editorial columns:

Citizens of Salt Lake are gently admonished to shake the moth balls out of their chilled steel garments and don them without delay, for the Kentucky editors are coming. An ounce of prevention is better than a pound of lead. The reception committee is going to ask the Kentuckians to check their guns at the hotel office. This is not intended as a discourtesy, but merely in order to relieve the visitors of extra weight. Should any gentleman meet a gentleman who resembles, snuff, a man he does not like, snuff the police have orders to furnish the necessary shooting irons.

Nothing calculated to add to the gaiety of this joyous occasion will be left out. It is true that the water supply is short, as it usually is at this season of the year, but any man wearing a Kentucky badge who heard to kick on such an insignificant matter, may be set down as a "finger" of the "ornierist" variety.

There are many other advantages, in addition to the water shortage, that will commend themselves to the visitors. Along our irrigating ditches they will find real mint grown by a beneficent Providence. No Kentuckian is asked to believe that such a wondrously favored land can exist until he sees for himself. Then, unless our judgment is in awful error, the local Kentucky colony will be notably expanded. Take away your blue grass! A baa everything except le demjoun! Think of a country where juleps can be plucked on every quarter-section with only a quart pot as the sine qua non.

But, speaking seriously, The Herald is more than glad to welcome the Kentuckians to Utah. Whether you hail from the banks of the great Helder-sartin, the placid Green or the salt-tinctured Ohio, you are welcome to Zion. To you we open wide our hearts and our several homes and bid you freely enter.

A FACT ABOUT THE "BLUES"

What is known as the "Blues" is seldom occasioned by actual existing external conditions, but in the great majority of cases by a disordered LIVER.

THIS IS A FACT which may be demonstrated by trying a course of

Tutt's Pills

They control and regulate the LIVER. They bring hope and buoyancy to the mind. They bring health and elasticity to the body.

TAKE NO SUBSTITUTE.

SHORT LOCALS.

The new Masonic Opera House will open Sept. 5th, with a play entitled "Star Boarders." This troupe have twenty-five members, their own band and orchestra and the play is said to be something better than the ordinary.

A number of colored children have been annoying other children upon the streets of the town. In several cases children have been hurt. The parents are responsible, and will be punished if the practice continues.

Citizens seem to forget that an ordinance exists, which forbids the running at large upon the streets and alleys of the town of horses and mules. Great complaint is made and the ordinance will be enforced to the letter.

Disturbance of public worship is again complained of, this time at the home of the M. E. Church. Warrants were issued some time since in a case of this kind at the General Baptist church. Young men will take notice they must cease this law breaking or severe punishment will be meted out.

Miss Hattie Gambin and sister were returning from the fair Saturday evening in a buggy. The horse became frightened near the home and Miss Hattie jumped from the buggy. Her head caught and she fell on her head and shoulder, bruising herself considerably but not seriously. Miss Gambin is a niece of Mr. Dan Unstead.

There has been no rain in Todd county since the latter part of May and the corn, tobacco and other crops will not yield over half as much as usual. Corn is now worth three dollars a barrel and prospects are good for it to reach \$1.75. These farmers who had a good supply of hay will be in it this winter.

A Woman's Missionary Society was formed last Monday evening by Miss Olivia E. Orr, of Morgantown, with fifteen members. The following officers were elected: Miss Maggie Stodghill, president; Mrs. John Rule, vice president; Miss Lella Dean, corresponding secretary; Miss Amelia Price, recording secretary; Miss Carrie Crenshaw, treasurer. The society will meet the first Sunday in each month at 3 o'clock p. m.

There are some people who expect a weekly newspaper to take on all the features of one of our great dailies, and actually compare the two papers. They do not take into consideration the vast amount of talent the dailies have—the city editor, the telegraph editor, the sporting editor and an array of reporters, while the weekly has one man to collect all the news and cover all the different fields. Comparisons are odious and should not be made, and if one does their best angels can do no more.

Letter List.

Miss Fannie Beard, Mattie Chiles, George Edmonson, Foster Greer, Ida Howell, Les Jackson, Lela Landon, L. E. Littlepage, Walth & Watson, Luther Moody, Luma Nelson, M. Quigley, Alice Rice, Maggie Sisk, Willie Skinner, Stella Smith, Mike Thompson, Samuel Williams, Owen Wilson.

Oil in great abundance has been discovered in Colorado and New Mexico—at least they are bringing wells in on railroad tracts.

C. J. Pratt, President.
P. D. Ramsey, Vice-President.
O. W. Waddell, Cashier.
Armed Nisbet, Assistant Cashier.
L. W. Pratt, Collection Clerk.

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Incorporated 1890.

MADISONVILLE, KENTUCKY.

Capital \$50,000. Surplus \$5,500.

Motion for New Trial Overruled.

Circuit Court convened in Madisonville Monday morning in special term with Judge Nunn on the bench. The special term was called for the purpose of passing on a motion for a new trial in the case of Deputy Sheriff Lindell and possemen McIntosh and Johnson. The Court overruled the motion for a new trial and entered judgment against each of the defendants in accordance with the verdict of the jury and sentenced them to two years each at hard labor in the branch penitentiary at Eddyville. Council for the defense at once prayed for an appeal. Judge Nunn granted a stay of sixty days pending action of the court of appeals. If these men go to the penitentiary for discharging their sworn duty it will be a travesty on the boasted justice of the courts of Hopkins county and this section of the state.

\$100 Reward \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

For Sale.

Sixty-four acres of land, one mile east of Underwood. Only twelve acres cleared. For further information call at J. W. Robinson's store, Earlinton, Ky.

Mrs. J. WILL ROBINSON.

The strike of the Lexington Street Railway Company was broken yesterday afternoon when twenty of the strikers signed contracts with the company and asked to be taken back.

A Ministers Good Work.

"I had a severe attack of bilious colic, got a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, took two doses and was entirely cured," says E. A. Power, of Emporia, Kan. "My neighbor across the street was sick for over a week, had two or three bottles of medicine from the doctor. He used them for three or four days without relief, then called in another doctor who treated him for some days and gave him no relief, so dispatched him. I went over to see him the next morning. He said his bowels were in a terrible fix, that they had been running off so long that it was almost bloody flux. I asked him if he had tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and he said, 'No.' I went home and brought him my bottle and gave him one dose; told him to take another dose in fifteen or twenty minutes if he did not find relief. But he took no more and was entirely cured." For sale by St. Bernard Drug Store, Earlinton, Geo. King, St. Charles; Ben T. Robinson, Morgantown, Ga.

Generals Gomez and Palma have made the mistake of talking too freely about Cuban affairs, and their combined bomb for president and vice-president is beginning to fray at the edges.

Does it Pay to Buy Cheap?

A cheap remedy for coughs and colds is all right, but you want something that will relieve and cure the more severe and dangerous results of throat and lung troubles. What shall you do? Go to a warmer and more regular climate. Yes, if possible; if not possible for you, then in either case take the only remedy that has been introduced in all civilized countries with success in severe throat and lung troubles, "Bosch's German Syrup." It not only soothes and stimulates the tissues to destroy the germ disease, but allays inflammation, causes easy expectoration, gives a good night's rest and cures the patient. Try one bottle. Recommended many years by all druggists in the world. Get Green's Prize Almanac. St. Bernard Drug Store.

Historian Macloy, who is responsible for the Schuylkill trouble, was formerly a newspaper reporter, with a natural taste for dishing up hot stuff.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets. Cascarets, pure cathartic forever. No. 12. If C. C. & Co. druggists refund money.

Nebo News.

Time rolls on without any apparent change in our little village. There are a few visitors in our town, a few gone visiting and some will eventually die of ennui if there is not a dog fight or something else equally interesting to break the monotony.

Dr. C. N. Ferguson was called to Tennessee last week by the serious illness of his father. He returned Sunday.

H. H. Hill of Morton's Gap, came down Friday afternoon to be at the Masonic lodge Saturday night and remained to spend the week with friends and relatives here.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Shelton of near Rochester died of brain fever yesterday morning. The body was brought to Mrs. Shelton's father's, Mr. McCormick, of this place, last night and was taken below Dixon for burial this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Boyd of Earlinton are on a visit to friends in Nebo.

Rev. G. W. Lyon from Madisonville preached at the M. E. church Saturday morning at 11 o'clock.

Miss Myrtle Wheeler of Staughtonville is spending the week here the guest of Miss Thule Cox.

Mr. E. L. Sagar of Nashville is here this week on special business.

Miss Miss Betta Knox and her brother Tommie returned from a week's visit to Morton's Gap Monday.

Quarterly meeting was held at the M. E. church Saturday and Sunday. Elder Hayes preached his farewell sermon here Sunday and returned to Madisonville in the afternoon.

Miss Lillian Graham is spending the week with friends in Dixon.

Mr. J. A. Hoffman, who is working St. Louis, came home Friday to visit his family. He returned Monday morning, his wife accompanying him as far as Madisonville.

Miss Allie Campbell returned home Sunday afternoon from an extended visit to friends in Christian county.

Quite a number of visiting delegates attended the quarterly conference at Nebo Saturday afternoon.

Rev. B. M. Currie came down Thursday to attend prayer meeting and to fill his appointment here Sunday night.

Miss Jennie Knox, who has been on an extended visit to friends and relatives in and near this place, returned home last week.

Miss Mamie Cox left Monday for Sebree where she will spend about two weeks and will go from there to Hopkinsville where she will enter school.

Miss Mattie Jackson and little son are visiting in Stanhope this week. T. B. Knox and Miss Tott Fike made a flying visit to Morton's Gap Monday.

Mrs. Lizzie Cox is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Phoebe Gardner this week.

Key Woodcock and Bob Walker are all smiles over some new girls at school and Mrs. N. Hobgood of Madisonville visited relatives near here Sunday.

Mr. Powell, son of Mr. Mahlenberg spent Sunday with his parents near town.

ANONYMOUS.

Educate Your Bowels.

Your bowels can be trained as well as your muscles or your brain. Cascarets Candy Cathartic train your bowels to do right. Genuine tablets stamped C. C. & Co. Never sold in bulk. All druggists, etc.

Walter Hogan, the night watchman at Key's flour mills at Princeton, Thursday night shot and fatally wounded J. H. Davis, a farmer, who claims Davis was stealing wheat when he shot him.

There is so Much News

that even if it comes by telegraph we overlook some of it. Isn't it a fact that you have seen Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin advertised several times and have neglected to try it? An ounce of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is as good as a three weeks' vacation. Ask any druggist or any one who has taken it. Sold by J. X. Taylor.

Tobacco in the nine counties representing the cream and bulk of the tobacco for sale in Kentucky can not be made more than half a penny, even with copious rains from now on, is the report that comes from them.—Robertson Advance.

Would Have Cost Him His Life.

Oscar Bowman, Lebanon, Ky., writes: "I have been using Foley's Kidney Cure and take great pleasure in stating it gave me permanent cure of kidney disease which certainly would have cost me my life." Take none but Foley's. John X. Taylor.

Great enterprises like the Louisiana Purchase Exposition affect the commerce of the world, and should not be "changed for light and transient causes."

To Heal a Hurt

Use Banner Balm, the great healer. It's guaranteed for cuts, wounds, sores, piles and all skin diseases. No substitute. John X. Taylor.

The Making of Good Coffee

Begins in the growing. Anywhere between the plantation and the coffee pot the flavor may be changed, the quality spoiled by carelessness, inexperience, or unscrupulous methods. From the time Arbuckle's Coffee leaves the hands of the grower until it reaches the user in a sealed packet, it is handled with the same watchful care, the same thought for cleanliness, that you would give any article of food that goes on your table. That's the reason it costs the grocer a cent a pound more than his cheap imitations. The extra cent you pay for

ARBUCKLE'S Roasted Coffee

buys much more than a cent's worth of quality and strength. A pound of Arbuckle's Coffee will give you more cups of better coffee than you would get from other package coffees.

Be sure you get Arbuckle's Roasted Coffee. Other package coffees are but imitations of Arbuckle's.

In each pound package of Arbuckle's Roasted Coffee there is a list of articles. With each package in which this list is found the purchaser has bought a dollar in part of some article to be selected by him or her from the list subject only to the condition that the signature of the person to be sent out and returned to our Nation Dept. You should see this list. Address all communications to

ARBUCKLE BROS. Notion Department, NEW YORK CITY, N.Y.

Trip Through the Mines.

A jolly crowd chaperoned by Jno. X. Taylor and wife, made a tour of the mines Tuesday night and had a delightful time. Miss Katie says Marshal Coyle knows how to make an arrest when called upon in a way that is an honor to any officer. The party returned about 11 o'clock covered with coal dust and glory. Following are the names of the participants: Misses Lizzie Sullivan, Jesse Buckley, Katie Green, Elsie Hale, Annie and Gertrude Caviness, Saffie and Mary McGrath; Messrs. Dan Donohue, Chas. Martin, Theo. and Harry Conner, Jno. Deveney, W. R. Coyle and Jno. X. Taylor and wife.

Question Answered.

Yes, August Flower still has the largest sale of any medicine in the civilized world. Your mothers and grandmothers never thought of using anything else for Indigestion or Bilelessness. Doctors were scarce, and they seldom heard of Appendix, Colic, Nervous Prostration or Heart failure, etc. They used August Flower to clear the system and stop fermentation of undigested food, stimulate the nervous and organic action of the system, and that is all they took when feeling dull and bad with headaches and other aches. You only need a few doses of Green's August Flower, in liquid form, to make you satisfied there is nothing the matter with you. Get Green's Prize Almanac. St. Bernard Drug Store.

Question Answered.

"That was a great 'ghost walk' when robbers stole \$200,000 worth of gold bricks from the vaults of the Shore Smelting Works, California. This signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day."

The Houston Post's observation

that the window glass manufacturer's trust "is painful" is rather smooth. Most anyone can see through it.

This is an Advertisement.

If you are looking for a laxative, Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is it. The convenience and merit of this valuable remedy will be explained to your satisfaction by Jno. X. Taylor.

A Western mau has a race horse named "Billings." It is said to be awful to hear the Billingsgate when Billings' gate is not rapid enough to win."

Episcopal Church Services.

Archdeacon M. M. Benton will hold services of the Episcopal Church in the Christian Church next Sunday the 18th, at 11 o'clock a. m. and 7:30 o'clock p. m.

LOOK! A STITCH IN TIME

Saves nine. Hughes' Tonic (taste pleasant), taken in early Spring and Fall prevents Chills, Dengue and Malarial Fevers. Acts on the liver, tones up the system. Better than Calomel and Quinine. Contains no Arsenic. Guaranteed. Try it. At Druggists. 50c. and \$1.00 bottles.

The Russellville Oil and Gas Company will begin operations at an early date. They have leased 35,000 acres of land.

For Whooping Cough.

"Both my children were taken with whooping cough," writes Mrs. O. E. Dutton, of Danville, Ill. "A small bottle of Foley's Honey and Syrup cured the cough and saved me a doctor's bill." John X. Taylor.

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To Cure a Cold in One Day Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 50c.

According to Socialist Herron, the churches are fast becoming the property of trusts. Perhaps this may give us better preachers.

A. R. Bass, of Morgantown, Ind., had to get up ten or twelve times in the night and had severe backache and pains in the kidneys. Was cured by Foley's Kidney Cure. It's guaranteed. John X. Taylor.

Last of all comes the announcement that the shortage of the grain crop is going to diminish the output of whisky. It will be a good time to work off some of the old vintage.

The President

of the American Federation of Labor, Louis Adami, says: "I am using your Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin myself and in my family and find it does lots of good.—Yours truly, Geo. C. Campbell, Clinton, Iowa. Sold by John X. Taylor.

The government is building splendid roads in the Philippines. No doubt the Philippines will demand rural free delivery next.

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CONFESSED HE STOLE IT.

The Great Bullion Robbery at the Selby Smelter, at Vallejo, Cal., Unraveled.

JACK WINTERS WAS THE LONE ROBBER.

He Left Ten Many Cans, Was Arrested, Sweated and Finally Confessed, and Showed Where He Had Sunk the Bullion in the Bay—A Portion Has Been Recovered.

San Francisco, Aug. 11.—Jack Winters, who was arrested for the Selby smelter robbery, has confessed the crime, and so far \$150,000 worth of bullion has been recovered from the bay where he had sunk it. For three days the detectives tried all sorts of intimidation to make Winters confess, but his threats apparently had no effect upon him. Finally he asked to see Supt. Ropp, of the works, who he said, was the only friend he had. In his conversation with Ropp, Winters' manner indicated that he knew where the gold had been hidden. Ropp told him that they had a strong case against him, and that he would be sent to prison for 30 years. He said: "You will be an old man when you get out, and it will do you no good to hide the gold. We know it is hidden in the water near the works, and we will search every inch. You may be sure that the gold will be found before you get out of prison."

Winters finally weakened, and told Ropp that he had taken the gold, and would take him to the spot where it was hidden. The criminal, in company with Supt. Ropp and a force of detectives, left on a tug for Crockett. There they waited all night for low tide. Winters pointed out the place, at the end of the railroad, where he hid the gold bullion, at the beginning of the Vallejo ferry slip. At that point at low tide the mud was about four feet deep, covered by a foot of water. When the tug first reached Crockett, Winters pointed out the spot in the water where he said he had thrown the gold.

Winters himself got into the mud and water up to his neck, and for an hour and half groped for the missing bullion. Up to two o'clock \$150,000 worth had been recovered. This includes the four bars of fine gold. Winters had put some of the bars in bags. He said that one of the bars had broken, and some small bars had dropped out. It is now only a question of careful search to find the rest of the \$380,000. Winters claims that he did the job all alone. He says that he made 14 trips from the vault to the wharf from which he dropped the gold. The smelter officials, however, are positive that he received assistance from someone.

CHOSEN TREASURY MEMBER.

Wallace H. Mills to Represent the Department at the St. Louis World's Fair.

Washington, Aug. 12.—Secretary Dague has appointed Mr. Wallace H. Mills, chief clerk of the treasury department as the treasury member of the government board of the St. Louis exposition. J. H. Brown, secretary of the department of agriculture, is chairman of this board. J. W. W. Hanger, chief clerk of the department of labor, is also a member of the board, which will consist of 12 persons.

SELBY SMELTER TREASURE.

Nearly All of the Gold Stolen from the Selby Smelter Co. Recovered—Question of Reward.

San Francisco, Aug. 12.—It was stated at the office of the Selby Smeltering Co. yesterday noon that a force of divers under the management of the Pinkertons had yesterday taken \$150,000 worth of gold from the spot where it was hidden by Winters, making nearly two hundred thousand dollars already recovered. It is expected that the remainder of the stolen treasure, amounting to \$50,000, will be recovered.

Ex-Premier Crispien Dieder.

Rome, Aug. 12.—Ex-Premier Dieder, chief of Italy died at Naples, on the evening of the 11th, surrounded by members of his family and intimate friends. He had been in a comatose condition during the entire day, and died without uttering a word.

Fatal Lightning Stroke.

Greenville, S. C., Aug. 13.—Two persons were killed and five injured by lightning during a terrific storm here yesterday. Much damage was done.

King's Cooks on Strike.

Madrid, Aug. 13.—The general feeling of discontent prevailing here has reached the royal kitchen, and the principal chef and five cooks at the king's palace have gone out on strike.

Government Bond Purchases.

Washington, Aug. 13.—The secretary of the treasury yesterday purchased \$38,400 short-term four-percent bonds at \$113.1363, and \$5,900 three at \$109.424.

THE DEMURRER SUSTAINED.

Judge Zachett Decides in Favor of the World's Fair Co. in the Injunction Case.

St. Louis, Aug. 13.—In the circuit court yesterday morning Judge William Zachett handed down his opinion in the injunction suit of Henry H. Verdes and John F. Berghem against the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Co., sustaining the demurrer filed by the defendant company. In this case the plaintiffs sought to restrain the company from taking advantage of the city ordinance granting the use of portions of the city parks for World's fair purposes, and thus prevent the use of the west half of Forest park. After the filing of the petition for injunction the defendant, through its general counsel, Mr. James A. Wright, filed a demurrer, setting forth reasons why the injunction should not be granted.

The opinion rendered by Judge Zachett was based largely upon the second of the two contentions made by the defendant. In their petition the plaintiffs did not represent themselves to be seriously injured through the proposed use of Forest park than any other citizens of the city, or that they show that they had blighting property which would be damaged. The court cited authorities to show that, where redress is sought for the public only, a representative of the state is empowered to bring action. The opinion was a voluminous document, a large portion of which was devoted to the consideration of citations made by the opposing attorneys in the hearing of the case last Tuesday. The substance of the opinion is given elsewhere.

The World's fair officials are greatly elated over the outcome of the suit, and believe that an end to the injunction difficulty has been reached. It will now be possible to prosecute the work of building the fair with renewed energy.

ILLINOIS CROP REPORTS.

Wheat and Oats Among the Best Ever Reported, but Corn Reports Very Disheartening.

Springfield, Ill., Aug. 12.—The Illinois department of agriculture yesterday issued a summary of the reports of its crop correspondents bearing date August 1. The area of wheat harvested is shown to be 1,570,000 acres; estimated yield 21,100,000 bushels, the largest crop produced since 1894. The value of the crop at current prices would be \$19,230,000—the best returns since 1902. Area of oats 3,750,000 acres; estimated yield 10,200,000 bushels, valued at \$3,480,000. This price has been exceeded but twice in 10 years—1874 and 1882.

The corn crop, valued at 8,068,000 acres, was the largest since 1878, but on August 1, the condition was the most disheartening ever reported, owing to widespread bad weather and drought. From the more reliable estimates the department finds that on August 1 the condition was 46 percent of the average.

STRONG FAITH IN THE THEORY.

Will Risk His Life to Prove that Animal Tuberculosis Does Not Affect Human Beings.

Denver, Col., Aug. 12.—In view of the interest in the question whether or not animal tuberculosis can be communicated to human beings, T. L. Monson, state dairy commissioner of Colorado, offers himself as a subject for a thorough test of the matter, provided a suitable anxiety for his family is assured in case of fatal results. Monson's offer is made a study of the matter, and is a strong believer in Dr. Koch's theory.

Condition of the Corn Crop.

St. Louis, Aug. 12.—The corn crop in Illinois, Missouri, and Kansas since the issuance of the government report show that the corn crop has deteriorated in Illinois and Missouri and slightly improved in Kansas. The present estimate of the yield in Missouri is 50,822,990 bushels, in Illinois 101,555,513 bushels, in Kansas 42,447,152 bushels.

A Mexican Building.

St. Louis, Aug. 14.—Preliminary steps have been taken looking to the erection of a permanent building by the Republic of Mexico on the St. Louis World's fair grounds, in which, after the close of the exposition, an exhibit of the resources of our sister republic may be maintained. The project has the endorsement of Mexican business men.

A Sensational Statement.

Chicago, Aug. 14.—The statement comes from Milwaukee that "tuberculosis cattle, though condemned by the Wisconsin state veterinarian, are being killed at certain packing houses about Milwaukee, and the non-infected portions sold for food all over the United States."

A Second Alfalfa Crop.

Phoenix, Ariz., Aug. 12.—Reports received from 22 points in the territory all state that the largest alfalfa crop ever known is now being gathered. The crop is the second one of the year and will be of extraordinary value.

The Ophir at Durban.

Durban, Natal, Aug. 14.—The British steamer Ophir, having on board the duke and duchess of Cornwall and York, which left Marseilles August 3, has arrived here.

Margolia Not Coming to America.

Yokohama, Aug. 14.—The doctors have ordered the Margolia, the Japanese ship, to take away the people here to try her fine. Mrs. Nation will go to Atlantic City next week.

WARNING TO THE BOERS.

Lord Kitchener's Proclamation, Issued August 7, With Its Preamble, Made Public.

THERE ARE A NUMBER OF WHEREASES.

Then Follows a Threat of Permanent Banishment to All Who Shall Not Have Surrendered to the Forces of His Majesty Prior to September 15 Next.

London, Aug. 12.—A parliamentary paper has been sent containing the proclamation issued by Lord Kitchener in accordance with the proclamation of the imperial government, the governments of Cape Colony and Natal concurring.

The reasons of the government for the proclamation of Lord Kitchener of August 7 is set forth in a preamble to the proclamation as follows:

Preamble and Proclamation.
Whereas, the late Orange Free State and South African Republic have been annexed to his majesty's dominions;

Whereas, his majesty's forces have been and are being considerable time in complete possession of the seats of government of both the aforesaid territories, with their public offices and the whole machinery of administration as well as of all the principal towns and the whole of the railways; and

Whereas, a great majority of the burghers of the two republics, to the number of 35,000, exclusive of those who have fallen in the war, are now either prisoners or have submitted to his majesty's government, and are living peacefully in towns and camps under control of his majesty's forces; and

Whereas, the burghers of the late republics still in arms are not only few in number, but have lost almost all their guns and munitions of war, and are devoid of regular military organization, and are, therefore, unable to carry on any organized resistance to his majesty's forces in any part of the country; and

Whereas, those burghers who are still in arms, though unable to carry on regular warfare, continue to make isolated attacks upon small posts and detachments of his majesty's forces, to plunder or destroy property, to damage railways and telegraph lines; and

Whereas, the country is thus kept in a state of disturbance checking the resumption of industrial and agricultural pursuits; and

Whereas, his majesty's government is determined to put an end to a state of things which is almost prolonging bloodshed and destruction, and inflicting ruin upon a great majority of the inhabitants, who are anxious to live in peace and earn a livelihood for themselves and their families; and

Whereas, it is just to proceed against those still resisting, and especially against those persons who, by reason of their position of authority, are responsible for the continuance of the present state of lawlessness, and are instigating their fellow burghers to continue their hopeless resistance to his majesty's government.

Therefore, all commandants, field cornets and leaders of armed bands, the burghers of the late republics, and still engaged in resisting his majesty's forces, whether in the Orange Colony, the Transvaal or other portions of his majesty's dominions, and all members of the late governments of the Orange Free State and Transvaal, unless they surrender before September 15 next, are permanently banished from South Africa. The cost of the maintenance of the families of all burghers shall be recoverable from such burghers, and shall be a charge upon their property, movable and immovable, in the two colonies.

The preliminary correspondence shows that the proclamation is based upon suggestions which the government of Natal forwarded to Colonial Secretary Chamberlain July 24.

Nicaragua Without a Bank.

Washington, Aug. 12.—Nicaragua is left for the present without a single banking institution, through a ruling of the supreme court of Nicaragua that the London Bank of America, Limited, has no legal status in that country, according to a report to the state department from Consul Sorsby, at San Juan del Norte.

New York Police Headed.

New York, Aug. 13.—Officer New York is badly stirred up by the disclosures pointing directly to collusion between the police department and the gambling house keepers, the latter paying tribute to the former for protection and receiving official tips in advance of contemplated raids.

Only One Store Branding.

Princeton, Mo., Aug. 10.—The business section of Princeton, a small town near the Iowa state line, was destroyed by fire Thursday night, the buildings burned, including the post office, bank and a department store. Only one store was left standing.

Mrs. Nation Out of Jail.

Topeka, Kas., Aug. 10.—Mrs. Carrie Nation was released from jail Thursday night, enough money having been paid by the townspeople here to try her fine. Mrs. Nation will go to Atlantic City next week.

BUSY DAYS IN... DIXIE

This is a time of waiting, hoping and watching in a large part of Dixie. Upon the weather of the next few weeks depends the future cotton crop, the great staple of the south. The tender cotton plant is just beginning to come

forth in the history of the country. Last year the cotton crop amounted in round numbers to 9,000,000 bales, valued at about \$335,000,000. This is of course exclusive of the seed produced, valued at many millions of dollars.

In August the sower for beauty does well if he visits a southern cotton field in full bloom. There are few scenes of more beauty to be found on earth. Either at a distance or nearly a cotton field in bloom is good to look at. Seen from afar, the field seems covered with the snow white opened bolls, and it is easy to imagine an arctic snowfield in a southern climate. When viewed more closely, the field loses little or none of its charm, for then the white of the lint contrasts well with the brown of the matured plant and the green of the tender young shoots that are too late to be of any but aesthetic use. Cotton remains beautiful until it is baled, for no keen sense of beauty is needed to see it in the great heaped up masses of the snowy product waiting for the gin.

"Picking time" is gala time on a southern plantation, for it is the busiest season of the year. As soon as the cotton bolls are fully opened the lint must be taken out by hand. Various machines to supplant the hand picker have been tried, but they have failed. The only good cotton picker yet tried is the negro, and the best picker, according to many, is the negro woman. In answer to the question, "Which picks the best man or woman?" an old darky replies: "Oman, ar. Dey's out an out de best pickers. I can't put my mind on nary a extra good picker what I ever knowed was a nigger."

Although "picking time" means a time of excitement, of bustle, of all sorts of happenings, it is by no means all roasting in some folks believe. Cotton picking is not easy work. To pick 150 or more pounds of cotton in one day requires a good deal of skill and a knowledge of the art of picking cleanly and rapidly. Much money changes hands, for the pickers receive from 10 to 15 cents per hundred pounds. For many years the price ranged between 40 and 50 cents, but the negro cotton pickers are shoring in the prosperity of the south. It cost the planters of the south the very best sum of \$68,547,010 to have the crop of 1893-1900 picked.

From the weighing baskets and the storehouses the overspent southern nule hauls the cotton to the gin, which is to separate the seeds from the lint. Ginning cotton is an interesting occupation, although it has remained practically unchanged since Eli Whitney

THE GIN COTTON.

invented the useful machine. The word "gin" is believed to be an abbreviation of "engine." Ginning "short staple," or upland, cotton differs from the "long staple," or sea island, cotton from its seed. "Short staple" cotton forms by very much the greater part of the cotton crop of the United States, and only about 100,000 bales of the finer grown. The "short staple" cotton is freed from its seed by the ordinary saw gin. This separates the fiber by tearing it from the seed by means of a series of circular saws with fine teeth. The "sea island" cotton, which is finer and more valuable, is separated by the roller gin, which pulls rather than tears the cotton from the more easily separated seed.

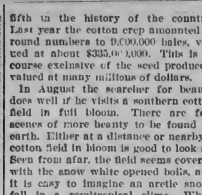
At many plantations after ginning comes the "condensing," as rolling the loose, fluffy cotton into thin, gummy sheets is called. These sheets are then baled or pressed, and the cotton is then ready for shipment to the mills, where the "tree wool," as the Germans call it, is spun into thread and woven into cloth.

The House Spider's Web.

The web of the house spider differs from that of the garden variety in two points—its mesh is much finer and it is composed of one kind of silk only. The flies which find their way into it are detained by the entanglement of their claws in the fine meshes. The house spider, as a rule, makes its lair in the corner of the room. Its first operation is to press its spinners against the wall, thus securing the threads in a particular spot; then it goes to the upper side and fixes the other end of the thread. This primary line is strengthened by two or three others being run along both directions and are drawn in it in various directions, and the interstices are filled by the spider running backward and forward, always leaving the corner of the one corner of the completed web a tube is made in which the spider conceals itself and waits for the appearance of unwary flies.

SCENE ON THE LEVEL.

But with all these drawbacks it pays to grow cotton when one has land fitted for it. Cotton prices are high now compared with those of the years since the seventies. Last year saw the realization of the hope of "10 cent cotton," a figure that means prosperity to the south as "dollar wheat" does to the north and west. It is hoped that this year's crops will equal or exceed that of last year, which ranked fourth or



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WIT AND HUMOR.

Ma—Tommy, didn't I tell you not to do that? Don't let me speak to you again."

Tommy—Gee whiz, ma, if pa can't keep you from talking when you get started, how do you expect me to?

Down in Todd county it is so dry that fire-fliers set the grass on fire wherever they light.

A little five-year-old saw a cow with rags around her horns on account of having the hollow horn, exclaimed, "Poor cow, you got the headache."

Johnnie, aged six, was pulling the wings off a wasp, when it stung him. Johnnie went crying to his mother and held up his finger and said, "Look mamma, the fly hit me and left one of his toots in my finger."

"You say," she murmured as she gazed dreamily at the moonlight, "that I am an angel."

"Yes darling."

She was silent a long time.

"Why so silent," he inquired earnestly.

"I was wondering whether some day when the thermometer was in the vicinity of 100 and the ice man forgot to leave the ice, and the cream was sour and the steak was overdone, and you had the headache, if you would think I was an angel then and call me one. Don't attempt to answer me now," she added in a cold, business-like tone, but take the matter home and think it over and give me an answer in a month or two."

"What was that Cop doing in the kitchen Nora?"

"Courtin' me num."

"Well he will have to stop. You can tell him this is no court house."

"Oh why should the spirit of mortal be proud," asked the poet?

If he alludes to a woman: "Because she has a new dress." If a man, "Because he has won on a horse race."

The reason some girls are not popular. They think too much about themselves and talk too much about others.

Woman was man in advance of the looking glass and the most of them have managed to keep in front of them ever since.

Tibbs—"That was a true sign Mrs. Feedemcheap had over her boarding house."

Hibbs—"What was it?"

Tibbs—"Boarders taken in."

"HE WENTED."

In a certain country school there was a little boy who would persist in saying "have wented." The teacher kept him in one night and said: "Now, while I am out of the room, you may write 'have gone' fifty times. When the teacher came back he looked at the boys paper, and there found the words 'have gone fifty times.' Underneath was written: "I have wented home."—The Family Herald.

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THE PEARL HUNTERS

A TRIP TO RED RIVER

BY "TIMMIE."

Last Friday a party of fifteen left the little town of Guthrie, Ky., for Red River on a fishing and pearl hunting expedition.

On the way down we stopped at a house for some water and asked the lady who showed us the spring if the reports in regard to the phenomenal find of pearls on Horse Shoe Bend were true. She showed her sun bonnet back an inch or so and said: "I low they air; man passed here 'tother day ridin' of a hump-backed mawl an' showed me a quinine bottle 'bout half full of 'em pearls; said he found 'em all in two days." We thanked her for the water and mentally resolved if there was a pearl in Red River we would find it.

After a long, hot, dusty drive we came to the Horse Shoe Bend and pitched our tent in Whooper Hollow one mile from the old town of Port Royal. The site selected for a camping place was one of nature's best efforts; on one side the jetting rocks rose layer on layer until they were over two hundred feet high and as perpendicular as the walls of a building; to our left the river rippled over the rocks and shoals and sparkled in the sunlight. The giant monarchs of the forest spread their huge limbs and protected us from the fierce heat of the burning sun. By the time we had put our tents up and gotten wood to cook with and killed a wild hen and milked a wild cow and put out a trot line it was dark and the lady who was preparing the frugal meal all of a sudden discovered she must have a bucket of water. Under ordinary circumstances it is an easy matter to procure a little water, but when one takes into consideration that we were fifty yards from the river and the bank was almost perpendicular and you could not see two feet from you and tall weeds, muskrat holes and snakes were between you and the water, one naturally hesitates before offering their services. But the demand for the water was urgent and in order to make the ladies of the party think I was indignant I took the bucket and started. On reaching the edge of the river I sat down and began to slide gently down the bank. Every inch I went my speed increased; I dropped the bucket and grasped the weeds as I passed; they broke off and I went on with ever increasing momentum. I heard the bucket rolling and tumbling on the rocks and finally splash in the water below. I still kept going and by the time the earth's surface was getting warm I finally came to a sudden halt and found myself sitting straddle of a beech

tree while all the stars in the heavens seemed to be circulating round my head. This tree was all that saved me from a plunge in the river. I made my way painfully up the bank feeling that my head was considerably swollen and that I had bucked up against one of the St. Bernard coke ovens. Another of the party who had experience in prowling around at night went after the water.

We finally succeeded in getting supper over and all turned in about 10 o'clock to get a good night's rest and be ready for the morning. Everything was quiet save the occasional bark of a fox on the bluff or the hoot of an owl in the dark woods to our left. The flickering light of another camping party could be seen around the bend of the river. I was thinking how pleasant camp life was and regretting that our stay would be so short, when a large bug with sharp feet ran up one of my alabaster limbs about a yard and proceeded to locate a claim. I removed it by force and attempted to throw it out of the tent but it struck against the side and fell in the mouth of one of the party who snored and consequently had her mouth open. The lady slightly rose to a sitting posture and began clawing in her mouth and spitting. After dislodging his bugship she indignantly demanded a sheet and proceeded therewith to wrap up her head. After this things began to quiet down once more and we had at last gotten asleep when a mournful dirge broke on our astonished ears and we beheld by the dim starlight a procession of white clad figures file slowly by our tent singing "Barbarn Allen."

They kept this up until 2 o'clock singing old-time songs that we had forgotten and making night hideous with a peculiar kind of whoop from which this hollow took its name; the rock bluff would catch up the sound and send it back to the river and sleep was utterly impossible. The next morning some of the children wanted to know what kind of a wild animal they were frightened by last night.

After breakfast all went down the river two miles to the muscle shoal and hunted muscle shells in the clear water. We found some handsome shells by noon and only found two pearls in them all. One pearl was near the size of a bird shot and the other quite small. As pearl hunters we are not a howling success and the next time we go to Red River it will be simply as fishermen.

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cure a cold in one day. No cure, no pay. Price 25 cents.

Cinch Party.

A cinch party was given Tuesday night at the residence of George Top. Refreshments were served and all participants enjoyed themselves exceedingly. The following parties were guests: Misses Annie Coenen, Katie Green, Lizzie Sullivan, Sallie and Mary McArthur, Annie and Gertrude Caviness; Messrs. W. B. Coyle, John Devney, Theo. Coenen, Harry Coenen, J. T. Coenen.



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Colored Teachers Institute.

The Hopkins County Institute for the colored teachers will convene at the court house on Monday morning at 10 o'clock August 29th. All teachers holding valid certificates are required to attend the full session of five days.

D. C. Monroe, of Owensboro, Ky., will conduct the Institute. He will deliver one lecture at the court house on Tuesday evening August 27th. The graduating exercises for the graduating class will take place Thursday evening. The court house will be well lighted with Japanese lanterns. All persons desiring to attend these evening sessions will be entertained and comfortably located. The Institute fee is \$1.25. The graduates are Miss Daisy Cabell and Eldred W. Briggs, of Madisonville, District A. P. R. Cabell, W. D. Jennings and L. Gatewood committee on arrangement for entire Institute. John H. Slaton, Louise Vinstead and B. L. Teague program committee.

Respectfully,
SALLIE R. BROWN, S. C. S.

Wm. Fife a young railroad man employed by the L. & N. at Howell as machinist suicided yesterday by taking an over dose of morphine. His death is the cause assigned.

Don't neglect the warnings of nature. If your appetite is poor, breath bad, tongue coated, you will be sick unless you take steps to put your system in good condition. PRICKLY ASH BITTERS is the remedy you need. It cleanses the entire system. St. Bernard Drug Store.

E. Hibbs, the popular piano agent of Madisonville, will in the near future enter the Southern School of medicine at Nashville.

Wm. Finn, of Lima, O., obtained excellent results from the use of Foley's Kidney Cure. "It relieved my backache and severe pain over the hips. It toned my system and gave me new vim and energy. It is an honest and reliable remedy, and a sure cure for all kidney diseases." John X. Taylor.

A picnic was given at Lakeside park yesterday in honor of the Misses Tobin and Igoe, of Bowling Green by the Misses Whalen. It was a decided success and the participants report a good time.

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D'ANNUNZIO COMING.

Italy's Greatest Writer Soon to Appear in America.

Gabriele D'Annunzio, the leading poet, dramatist and novelist of Italy, is soon, according to recent announcement, to visit America. He will come as the companion of Eleonora Duse, Italy's leading actress, who is one of the greatest of the world's players. Duse is to act the leading roles in D'Annunzio's plays, and the latter is



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GABRIELE D'ANNUNZIO.

to expound between the acts the philosophy of the conception. They are to appear in a few of the largest cities of the United States.

Although only 37 years of age, D'Annunzio has already made for himself a name in the world's literature. He is hailed in Italy and elsewhere as a poet fitted to rank with the celebrated "four poets of Italy"—Dante, Petrarch, Ariosto and Tasso. As a dramatist the peninsula has not seen his equal since Alfieri, and as a novelist D'Annunzio ranks far in advance of any of his Italian contemporaries. With all the praise that must be accorded to the clarity of his style, however, his subject matter is repulsive to most Anglo-Saxons. He is, it is true, "the apostle of luxury" as the Romans name him. But to most critics outside of Italy it seems that his poems and novels devote too much on the delights of sense and passion to be morally clean.

D'Annunzio has other interests besides literary work. He is a member of the Italian chamber of deputies and a leader in the thought of the kingdom. Although naturally a student, he is also a man of the world and takes a keen interest in contemporary affairs. In appearance he is "short and faded and has a disagreeable smile that never leaves his lips." It is said that in the novels and plays and poems of D'Annunzio the chief male character is D'Annunzio himself, of course under different names.

It seems surprising that D'Annunzio and Duse should appear together, considering the stories concerning the two that were recently in circulation. He is said to have accepted the love of the great actress and then, trying of her, to have laid bare their attachment in his novel "Il Fuoco" ("The Flame of Life").

Grapevine Items.

The farmers of this vicinity are in better spirits since the breaking up of the drought.

Dr. Kennedy, the optician is canvassing in this vicinity this week.

Mrs. J. L. Todd and daughter Miss Mae, are extended services in Madisonville Sunday.

Will Crenshaw, who has been in Indiana for some time returned home Saturday.

Joe Slaton, who has been suffering from rheumatism for some time is still on the sick list.

Waller Summers, Vannie and Ed Martin and Helen and Carrie Jane Puryear of Greenview, visited relatives here and attended the fair last week.

The two-year-old child of Miles Russell, died suddenly last week of typhoid flux and was buried at Grapevine cemetery the following day.

Miss Hattie Bailey, a promising young teacher of the county died at the home of her father, Henry Bailey, of the Moss Hill vicinity Sunday after about four week's illness of typhoid fever. Funeral took place Monday at Flat creek cemetery. She was a model young lady and will be greatly missed by her many friends.

Miss Ora Barrow, who recently went to Christian county to begin school has postponed beginning until September on account of the hot dry weather, and returned home.

A. T. Kittling entered one evening last week in honor of their niece, Miss Gertrude Richardson. An enjoyable feature of the evening was a potato race which was participated in by all present.

Uncle Joe Hibbs is superintending the cleaning off of Flat creek cemetery this week. The work was badly needed.

Miss Gertrude Richardson, who has been visiting here for several weeks, returned to her home near Owensboro Monday.

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News From Bordley.

BORDLEY, KY., Aug. 13.

Republicans of Union county met in convention at Morganfield yesterday and nominated candidates for representative and various county offices. It was a real Republican love feast and the effects of its work will be impressed upon the minds of the people.

Hay baling is now the order of the day. The crop is the largest for several seasons and although it is weighing rather light it is of fine quality.

H. C. Hopewell, pastor of the Baptist church at Dawson Springs, is conducting a series of revival services at Uniontown.

A colored camp meeting is being held at Dixon. A number of colored divines are in attendance to assist in narrowing up the sinners in that city.

Calvinism is to have a street fair, beginning Sept. 9th, and continuing five days. Uniontown's best business men are at the head of the enterprise.

The readers of THE BEE will remember reading in a recent issue an account of Mr. Nance Ringo being severely lacerated while sharpening the circular saw by an accidental starting of the engine. It was thought at first that he would recover but the extreme hot weather lasted so long that he succumbed to his illness and died Saturday morning at his home in Marion. His brother who lives at this place was notified of the sad intelligence by telephone.

Joe Hughes and wife of Sullivan are visiting at Paragould, Ark.

Miss Mattie Belle Edmundson of Hopkinsville is visiting Mrs. Jones this week.

Francis B. Brown, Democratic nominee for representative in Union county, will, if elected, lure his pet measure, the whipping law. When he was elected a few years ago he introduced the measure but it was defeated by a small majority.

Parties who went from here to El Reno and Lawton, Okla., write back telling of the unfortunate condition of disappointed homeseekers. Many are suffering for the necessities of life, while the water situation is simply fearful. Thousands are flocking to the cities, there are growing up like magic. The situation has assumed a more cheerful aspect since recent rains which will furnish employment to many on the farms.

President Wheatcroft of the Kentucky Western has left for a visit of several weeks in Europe, where he has many prominent relatives.

Miss Mattie Mayfield of Uniontown, is visiting here.

L. L. Hill has left for Denver, Colo., and will be absent about two

months. During his stay he will visit many other points in the Centennial State.

Mrs. J. M. Stone is visiting in Madisonville.

Chas. Brown of Dawson Springs is in our midst.

Attorney Marion Hazle is in Philadelphia looking after a large estate to which Mrs. J. T. Woskon has fallen heir.

Mr. Dixie, of Lexington, Ky., is visiting here.

Miss Anna Thomas, who was thought last week to have been convalescent, has relapsed and is in a dangerous condition.

Miss Ethel Finley, the Sturgis operator of the Morganfield Telephone Co., is the most satisfactory and popular operator in the service of the company. Subscribers all along the line are slow to express their gratitude for the pleasing manner in which she meets all the difficulties connected with the position.

Several T. M. W.'s, when told that the secretary and treasurer of their organization is a negro, refused to believe it. The "distinguished" colored orator is billed to speak at Sturgis Saturday, and any one disbelieving the fact can go and see for themselves.

Misses Jennie and Jessie Wallace are visiting in Louisville.

The Union County Teachers' Institute will convene at Morganfield August 29th and continue five days. Prof. Wm. Foster, Jr., a talented psychological orator, of Princeton, N. J., will conduct the Institute.

A Ministers Good Work.

"I had a severe attack of bilious colic, got a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, took two doses and was entirely cured," says Rev. A. A. Power, of Emporia, Kan. "My neighbor across the street was sick for over a week, had two or three bottles of medicine from the doctor. He used them for three or four days without relief then called in another doctor who treated him for some days and gave him no relief, so discharged him. I went over to see him the next morning. He said his bowels were in a terrible fix, that they had been running off so long that it was almost bloody flux. I asked him if he had tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and he said, 'No.' I went home and brought him a bottle and gave him one dose; told him to take another dose in fifteen or twenty minutes. He was a terrible relief, but he took no more and was entirely cured." For sale by St. Bernard Drug Store, Earlington, Geo. King, St. Charles; Ben T. Robinson, Mortons Gap.

The strike of the Lexington Street Railway Company was broken yesterday afternoon when twenty of the strikers signed contracts with the company and asked to be taken back.

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THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

LESSON VII, THIRD QUARTER, INTER-
NATIONAL SERIES, AUG. 18.Text of the Lesson, Gen. xviii, 10-32.
Memory Verse, 20-22. Commentary Prepared
by the Rev. D. M. Stearns.

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10-10. "And the Lord said, Shall I hide from Abraham this thing which I am doing? No; for the Lord is with him. We must suppose that the lesson committee did the best they knew how in selecting the portions which they have assigned to us for study, but how they could be led to omit such a portion as chapter xviii is something of a mystery. We trust that all teachers will think it worth while to look at the portions passed over. Last week's lesson showed us Abraham made sure, as we supposed, by the Lord's message that all would be as God had said, yet in chapter xix we read that he turned from God to listen to an earthly suggestion, and took his wife into his household and led to an interval of 13 years in his life of which we know nothing. Compare xix, 10, and xxi, 1; Jer. xvii, 5. In chapter xxi the Lord appears to him under a new name, the Almighty God (Elohim), the Mighty God who is all sufficient, confirming and stating most fully their want and giving him the token which he received from the fish (Col. ii, 11); giving him also a new name, putting the principle of His own name, Jehovah (Jehi) in the midst of his old name, Abraham. We cannot but be sure that the clergy of God will be willing to have done with self and walk before Him. Sam's name is also changed from Abraham to Isaac, and the time has come and within a year Sarah shall bear to him the promised son. The vision of the Lord and the two other heavenly ones to Abraham in the heat of the day, their acceptance of Abraham's hospitality and the message to Abraham confirmed to Sarah lead us to the beginning of today's lesson. Let the Lord's question in Gen. xxi, 1, first clause, along with Jer. xxxi, 17, and John xiv, 13, lead us to expect great things from God.

20, 21. The Lord is a righteous judge and speaks of Himself as carefully inquiring into matters. He shall not judge after the sight of His eyes, neither will He be enticed by the beauty of the craft with righteousness (Psalm ii, 10; Isa. xl, 3, 4). Everything on earth cries out to Him, and He heareth; and He will see to it. Not casually Gen. i, 40; Ex. iii, 7; Hab. ii, 13; Jas. v, 4; also creation's groans in Rom. vii, 22; God hears it all.

22. "Abraham stood yet before the Lord." The other two angels, the two sons of Adam, and their visit to Lot and his rescue by him are recorded in the next chapter, referred to as being from the Lord Himself in Luke xxi, 28-32. Abraham standing before God makes us think of Elijah on Mount Sinai, the Gabriel of Kings xvi, 11; Kings iii, 14; Luke i, 10. To appropriate and live in the power of the Lord is a very proper and helpful thing to do, remembering that the Lord sees him as man, not as God, but as the Lord looked upon him (1 Sam. xvi, 17). He says, "Lo, I am with you always."

23-20. "Shall not the Judge of all the earth do right?" In the rest of our lesson we see Abraham as the intercessor, as we afterward see Moses, Samuel, Daniel and others, all typified in Him, who ever lives to make intercession for us (Rom. viii, 24; Heb. vii, 25). We read that Abraham drove near, and it is our privilege to drive near with a true heart in full assurance of faith, and to come boldly unto the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy and find grace to help in time of need (Heb. x, 22; i, 10). We may come not only for ourselves, but for others. We may forget ourselves and live chiefly for others, and the more we recognize self and live for others the more we shall be like Him who never pleased Himself nor sought His own will nor His own glory (Rom. x, 2; John vi, 28; 1 John ii, 50). By His precious blood He has made us high who once were far off and has given us access to God at all times (Eph. ii, 13; Rom. v, 2), with such blessed assurance for our encouragement as John xiv, 13, 14; xv, 7, 16; Mark xii, 24; 1 John v, 14, 15.

27-32. Fearing that there may not be 50 righteous in Sodom, Abraham continues to plead that the Lord will spare the city for the sake of 40, 30, 20, 10, and the Lord said that He would spare the city if ten righteous people were found in it. Six times Abraham pleads. Some wonder how it might have been if he had still kept on, but it would appear that Lot was the only righteous man in the city, and we would not have known that he was righteous but for 11 Pet. ii, 7, 8. It would seem that his wife and two daughters were delivered for his sake and that he was delivered for Abraham's sake (chapter xix, 12-20). That the righteous by their intercession can bring blessing to others is evident from the record of the restoration, the women of Tyre and Sidon, the four friends (Math. viii, 10; Is. x, 2; xv, 25). That there may be such a state of affairs that even the prayers of the righteous cannot avail we learn from Jer. x, 1; Ezek. xiv, 14, 23, where we see that such men as Moses, Samuel, Noah, Daniel or Job could not bring deliverance. Abraham did not stand on the ground of any goodness in himself, for he spoke of himself as but dust and ashes (verse 27), but only on the ground of the great need and the righteousness of God. We may learn a good lesson in pleading from Jeremiah, who said, "O Lord, though our iniquities testify against us, do Thou let for Thy name's sake" (Jer. xiv, 7). In Jesus' name is our great strength.

33. "And the Lord went His way as soon as He had left communing with Abraham, and Abraham returned unto his place." How near heaven he brought to earth in these interviews of God with Abraham and others! And it is the privilege of every believer to walk with God in constant communion (Gen. v, 24; i, 6; Mic. vi, 8). It is to be feared that the majority of the righteous are like Lot in Sodom, so mixed up with the ungodly that they bear no testimony for God, while but few are like Abraham at Hebron, living above the world in fellowship with God, for this is a narrow way, and few there that find it. Let every child of God remember that He has made us to be a people for His own possession, set apart for Himself, not conformed to this world (Titus ii, 14; R. v. i, Ps. x, 3; Rom. xii, 1, 2), and let us trust Him to make us willing (Ps. x, 3; i, 10) that He desires us to be, living no longer in this world or unto ourselves, but unto Him alone.

Red Hill News.

Mrs. Larkin Crick is sick with fever this week.

Mr. Joo. Cook of New Empiro was here Sunday.

Clarence Price made a business trip to Earlington last week.

The singing of Cole's Chapel closed last Sunday with a large crowd in attendance.

Rev. Moore of Madisonville will preach at New Empiro next Sunday evening.

Miss Alice and Annie Campbell of Nebo who have been spending several weeks here, returned home Sunday.

A tramp entered Mr. J. C. Page's house last Thursday while the family was away from home and stole a watch and some clothes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Campbell visited relatives at Nebo last week.

The people of this place were greatly excited last Sunday evening by a noise as if a mighty rushing wind, but on closer examination it proved to be Dr. Cash in his new horseless carriage and he had such a load of girls in it that it looked like it was liable to break down any minute.

Mr. Doph Rogers and Miss Callona Woodward of Nortonville were here Sunday to get married. The groom is sixteen years old and the bride twelve.

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I'de hold Abric's diamond mine less rich than you.
If I had you.

You are the brightest star of all the group,
Your eyes glisten like starlight on—
—the dew.
No other treasure would I ask or crave,
If I had you.
There is more joy to my fond heart,
In the lightest thing you think or do,
Than all the pleasure earth could impart,
Because it's you.

TIMMIE.

Program for Christian Endeavor at Mor-
ton's Aug. 18.

Songs.
Prayer.
Song.
Subject of Lesson—God's Requirements. Deut. 10:12-14. Read by
..... Miss Pearl Weiden
Song.
Recitation..... Breton Hart
Music..... Mrs. Jessie Davis
Leader for next meeting, Miss
Eura Oates.
Topic—Daily Prayer: "I will make it a rule of my life to pray every day." Psalm 84:1-22.
Quarantine.
Benediction.

Pearl Hunters.

The Clarksville Leaf-Chronicle's Port Royal, Tenn., correspondent said yesterday: "Pearl hunters are here from quite a distance. Some valuable pearls have been found in Red river right in sight of town. There is a pearl hunting party here now from Smithville, Tenn. They buy as well as hunt pearls. They have purchased some valuable ones on this trip—all found in Red river and its tributaries."

Red river is lower than it has been in a great many years and much of the bed of the stream is exposed. Hundreds of valuable pearls have been found in the shells in the stream—one of them a few days ago bringing \$200. Farm hands along the river have quit work and are busily engaged in the search for pearls. Some of them are as wild about the matter as were the gold hunters who went to California in 49.

Through the months of June and July our baby was teething and took a running off of the bowels and sickness to the stomach," says O. P. S. Holiday of Deming, Ind. "His bowels would move from five to eight times a day. I had a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in the house and gave him four drops in a teaspoonful of water and he got better at once." Sold by St. Bernard Drug Store, Earlington; Geo. King, St. Charles; Ben T. Robinson, Mortons Gap.

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CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning Aug.
18—Comment by Rev. A. H. Doyle.

Tone—God's requirements.—Deut. x, 12-14.
Our Master Sinai, after the Jews of Israel in worshipping the golden calf, Moses interceded for the people before God. The Lord heard and granted his prayer, "I said in the morning 40 days and 40 nights, and the Lord hearkened unto me at that time also, and the Lord would not destroy you. And the Lord said unto me, Arise, take thy journey before the people that they may go in and possess the land which I swore unto their fathers to give unto them. But this was not all. God's love was great. The people had sinned greatly, yet God the Lord had not destroyed them and consequently had a right to require something of them in return. They had forfeited their lives, but God had not demanded the forfeit, but he did require that those forfeited lives should be used for him. Hence Moses goes on to say, "And now, Israel, what doth the Lord require of thee? We stand in the same relation to God as these ancient Jews. God has spared our lives, forfeited by sin. What does He require of us in return? Is a very important question."

Moses emphasized three requirements of God—fear, love, obedience. "What doth the Lord thy God require of thee, but that thou shalt fear him, that thou shalt love him, that thou shalt keep his commandments, that thou shalt give him thy heart, thy soul, thy strength, and all thy might, and that thou shalt love him, with all thy heart, with all thy soul, with all thy strength, and with all thy mind, and thy neighbor as thyself." These are the three requirements of God which he requires, is that place reverence for Him which cannot only coexist with love to Him, but is not where love is. Fear is to be accompanied by love. It is to be "fear with love. Love without fear relaxes; fear without love constricts. God requires our supreme love—the love of heart, soul, mind and strength. If we love fear, our love is not true. We are not like Him, who are not worthy of Him. God should have the supreme place in our affections as well as in our lives. God requires us to serve Him, to obey Him. We are to "walk in His ways," "so serve the Lord with all the heart and all the soul, to keep the commandments of the Lord and His statutes." Obedience is the test of reverence and love. If we reverence and love God, we will obey Him.

THE PRAYER MEETING.
Arrange a special program covering our duties to God, as individuals, in the house, the society, the church and the state.

BIBLE READINGS.
Ex. xxi, 14-17; Lev. xii, 15; Deut. vi, 13; Prov. i, 7; Mic. vi, 8; Eccl. xii, 13, 14; Math. vi, 12; xv, 30-33; Mark iii, 33-35; Phil. iv, 8.

Persistence in Helping Others.
How seldom the believer realizes the sublime significance of God's Word. What a blessed moment is that in which revelation of it is made for the first time! In the light of that wonderful revelation, "I will not turn away from them to do them good," let us consider our own pitiable vacillations. The good we do to people depends altogether on our fluctuating feelings. It is only in our overflowing hearts that we scatter benefits. We imitative reformers to look our fellow-men and women in the face or hear anything is accomplished. We approach unfortunately in the spirit of love, sickened at the ingratitude of the response and "run away." We so soon grow discouraged in trying to benefit the frivolous, the selfish, the seemingly impenitent.

Attempting to reach men, we do not strive patiently through months and years to convert them. We supplicate the Throne for the salvation of a sinner once, not continually. We say we would do people good if they would let us; we do not enter into that divine love for humanity which is so great that its only expression is in ceaseless ministry. Compare all this with the unchanging, unshakable steadfastness of God's compassion for His creatures. "I will not turn away from them to do them good."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Bearing the Cross.
God gives everybody, I think, a cross when he enters upon a Christian life. When it comes to his hand, what is it? It is the rule of his square, full of splinters and silvers and rudely tacked together. I see some men carrying their cross just as men as it was at the first. Others, I perceive, begin to wind about it faith and hope and patience. And at last their cross has been so covered with holy affections that it does not seem any more to be a cross. They carry it so easily and are so much more strengthened than burdened, that they almost forget that it is a cross by the triumph with which they carry it. Carry your cross in such a way that there shall be victory in it.—Henry Ward Beecher.

THE WILL OF GOD.
In the spirit of the little child can we best love and understand and do the will of God. In any other way we lose the joy of the purity of heart through which alone we can win Him and at the same time something, whatever we may think to the contrary, of our hold upon our fellow-men.—W. M. Alsworth.